### Message from the Principal

#### Kia Ora Tatou Katoa

Many of our students will also have the opportunity to work alongside employers from within our community as part of their academic programmes as we intergrate academic and hands-on-learning. "Working together to provide a quality education in a caring environment" sums up our school vision.

Within this curriculum our students are academically challenged in a context of peronsalised learner-centered education. Every effort is made to promote a love for learning and positive attitudes about success, so that our students can move successfully into life beyond school. Morrinsville college is growing a school culture that they feel they truly belong to and be proud to identify with well after they have left.

The school aims to produce confident, tolerant, connected, lifelong learners who are actively involved in a balanced lifestyle. We encourage the growth of dispositions whereby students will be able to work well in teams, effectively manage a wide range of technological tools and manage themselves within an increasingly complex world. We encourage situations situations that will allow our students grow their ability to have mature conversations and feel equally comfortable, mixing, integrating and socialising with those who are younger or older than themselves or who are from other cultures or who have different world views. Our ambition is for our students to aspire to be the very best of themselves and to see the possibilities for their future self. We very much look forward to your being part of our school community.

Scott Jenkins Principal



### Useful links & Pages

Website: https://www.morrcoll.school.nz/international

> Facebook & Instagram: Morrinsville College International



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Morrinsville College International Prospectus 2024

### ENROLMENTS NOW OPEN

Full prospectus available via QR code or www.morrcoll.com/internation

# **Morrinsville Township**

Morrinsville is a heartland at its best - situated between the Kaimai Ranges and the Waikato River on the North Island of New Zealand. It is set on easy rolling terrain, surrounded by some of the nesy farmland in New Zealand. Morrinsville is only 28 minutes away from Hamilton, NZ's fourth largest city and is on bus routes to many exciting tourist area in the Waikato. Morrinsville is also 1.5 hours away from Auckland and an hour away from Rotorua.

### Morrinsville College

School Type: State co-educational secondary school, years 9 - 13 School Roll: 705 Students

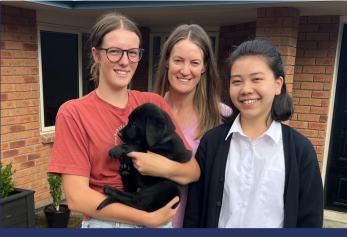
Number of International Students: 20 in any one term Examinations Offered: NCEA at Level 1, 2, and 3 plus scholarships Morrinsville College is located in the heart of the Waikato. We serve the town of Morrinsville and the surrounding Piako district, which is an intensive dairy farming community. The College is an integral part of our community and receives strong support from it.

# **Benefits in Studying at Morrinsville College**

- We offer an authentic New Zealand Experience
- A chance to work in a beautiful surroundings with well equiped buildings, resources and excellent teaching
- Each student is given individual attention with regular meetings so pathways are developed and learning goals are reached
- · Flexible timetable with wide range of subject choices to choose from and small English Language classes
- · An excellent support system across the school where students feel safe and can have a voice
- A homeroom with staff and international leadership. We are a school that fosters the values of excellence, community, respect, integrity curiosity and innovation



#### www.morrcoll.school.nz/international



# Homestay

We have excellent homestays. We meet with them regularly of have homestays get together, students can be placed according to their interests which includes forms, families, returned couples (who have much time to give to them)

## **School Services & Activities**

Athletics

Netball

• Cricket

#### Guidance Network

- Hub Coaches
- Deans
- Guidance Counsellors
- Careers Advisors
- Learning Assistance
- Academic Deans
- Internet access
- Personal Learning Devices
- Buddy System

- International Students

#### Cultural Activities:

The culture has a strong tradition of encouraging a wide range of cultural activities and experiences. Each year there are drama and dance productions. Performance music is vert strong. We have a new Performing Arts Centre

- Table Tennis
- Gymsports
- Cross-country
- Badminton
- Motocross

- **Opportunities**
- Excellence language tuition on small classes
- Excellent Student support (finalists in Top School 2022)
- Top Placing Students in Academic Contests •
- Excellent Facilities and successes in the Arts, Sporting and Cultural Activities
- Beautiful Buildings Special Facilities and Surroundings
- Many Education Outside the Classroom Opportunity
- Centrally Located in a Very Clean, Green Area Close to Hamilton (New Zealand's 4th Largest City)
- · We Frequently Attend Local Trips to expand Our students knowledge About The New Zealand Culture

# **Academic Success**

In most years pass rate of our students in NCEA rank, Morrinsville College in the 20% of all central North Island secondary school

- Top-placing students om academic competition
- Many awards in the Arts
- High success rate in tertiary studies
- International students gain places at top university in New Zealand and other countries

Years 11, 12 and 13 students enter for the New Zealand Certificate of Educational Achievement (NCEA) from level 1 - 3. The flexibility of the NCEA gualification means that it is very common for students to be working at different NCEA levels in any year. The Senior Deans + International Dean guides students into these courses, after consultation with other staff



- - Homework Support
  - Peer Mediators

  - International Advisors
  - Leaders
  - Staffed Homeroom for
- Volleyball

#### • Basketball Road Racing

- Golf Lacrosse Tennis Softball Squash FutsalRugby Cycling Swimming
- Hockey Touch Rugby
- Equestrian



